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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Patent application of :
 Guy Breger et al. :
 : International No.
 Serial No.: 10/070,506 : PCT/FR99/02119
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 For: Transfer Printing Installation, In Particular : I.A. Filing Date:
 By Gilding : September 7, 1999

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS
 UNDER 35 U.S.C 371 IN THE UNITED STATES
 DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

Commissioner for Patents
 BOX PCT
 Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notification Of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C.371 In The United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) (copy enclosed), mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 15, 2002. This response is being timely filed within the two(2) month period set for response.

The Notice stated that the Declaration and Power of Attorney was not duly executed in this case. An executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Formal Drawings (including translations) were filed in April 17, 2002, under cover of a Submission Of Missing

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING
 UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)**

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Jessie Richardson
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Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371. Photocopies of the Submission, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, Formal Drawings (translated), payment of the \$65.00 late fee and PTO-stamped return postcard, are enclosed herewith.

The Declaration and Power of Attorney as previously filed on April 17, 2002 was properly executed by the inventors pursuant to 37 CFR 1.68. It is noted that the First Named Applicant on form PCT/DO/EO/905 (Notification of Missing Requirements) incorrectly names the Applicant as "Marcel Guy". The Applicant's correct name is Guy Breger. (See, WO 01/17796, the first page of which is enclosed herewith.) The Declaration as originally filed (unsigned) and the Declaration filed April 17, 2002 (signed) both properly identify the Applicant as Guy Breger. Hence, the executed Declaration filed April 17th complies with 37 CFR 1.68. Applicants request that the PTO records be corrected to indicate the Applicant's correct name.

The Formal Drawings as previously filed on April 17, 2002 were properly translated. A check for \$130.00 to cover the late filing of the translation of those drawings is submitted herewith.

Issuance of a Notice of Acceptance Under 35 U.S.C. 371 is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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SUBMISSION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) AND SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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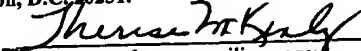
Applicants respectfully submit herewith the Declaration and Power of Attorney required under 35 U.S.C.371, and formal drawings in the above-identified patent application.

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The following papers are submitted herewith:

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by inventors, Guy Marcel Charles Claude Breger and Alain Charles Marcel Jacques Breger.

2. Seven Sheets of Formal Drawings.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$65.00 for the late filing of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (small entity fee). Please charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any amount paid in excess to Account No. 50-0573.

This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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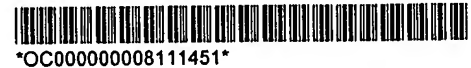
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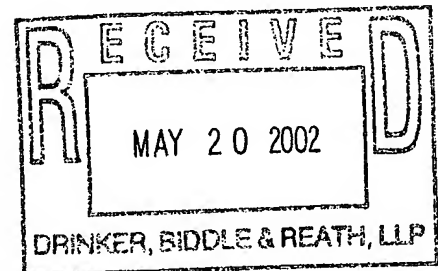
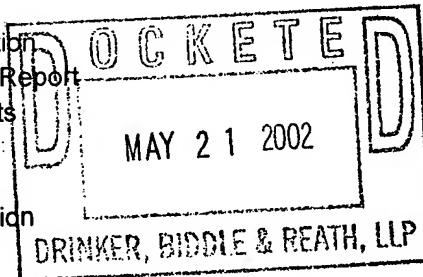
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Information Disclosure Statements
- Oath or Declaration
- Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination



The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. The current translation of the application into English is defective as described below.
 - The text in the drawings has not been properly translated.
- Processing fee for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than the appropriate 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 37 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Small Entity:

- **\$130** for English translation surcharge required.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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